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## RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Final Official Action mailed from the Patent and Trademark

Office on February 17, 1999, applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the application in view of the following remarks.

## **REMARKS**

## I. Status of the Claims

Claims 13-49 and 61-68 are pending in this application.

## II. Rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 102 and § 103

Claims 13-15, 20, 28-30, 43-45, 48, 49, 60, 61-65 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 5,408,513 to Busch, Jr. et al. ("Busch"). Claims 16-27, 31-42, 46, 47 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103 as being unpatentable over Busch in view of alleged common knowledge of the art. Claims 66-68 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Busch and further in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,706,330 to